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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I AM DISABLED AND MY HUSBAND IS UNEMPLOYED. I CAN'T AFFORD TO GET A MORE EXPENSIVE SERVICE. I JUST USE MY PHONE FOR EMERGENCY CALLS NOT FOR PLEASURE. IT IS FOR MY USE IF I GET IN AN ACCIDENT IN THE CAR OR IF I SHOULD GET SICK AND NEED HELP FROM SOMEONE. IT IS CONVENIENT FOR ME BECAUSE I CAN NOT AFFORD TO SIGN A CONTRACT FOR A PHONE THAT I DON'T USE VERY OFTEN. IF THE RATES GO UP, I WON'T BE ABLE TO EVEN AFFORD THIS PHONE EITHER. PLEASE RECONSIDER THIS RATE INCREASE. THANK YOU.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members